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Docket No.: 50395-124

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	: <b>RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116</b>
	: <b><u>EXPEDITED PROCEDURE</u></b>
Makoto KATAYAMA, et al.	: Customer No. 20277
	: Confirmation No. 6868
Serial No.: 09/993,410	: Group Art Unit: 2882
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

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The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office

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